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In re Application of KLEINERT

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For: METHOD FOR EVALUATING ULTRASONIC SIGNALS OF A FLAW IN A WORKPIECE

RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF DEFECTIVE RESPONSE

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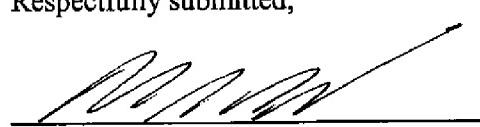
Sir:

Applicant received a Notification of Defective Response dated March 9, 2007 in connection with the above-referenced application. The notification was issued because there is a discrepancy in the inventor's name on the executed declaration and published PCT application. The published PCT application lists the inventor's name as Wolf Kleinert, while the executed declaration lists his name as Wolfgang Kleinert. The correct name of the inventor is Wolf Kleinert. The discrepancy in the spelling was due to the fact that Wolf is a common nickname for the name Wolfgang.

As the error in the inventor's name was due to a typographical or transliteration error, a new declaration is not believed necessary in accordance with MPEP 605.04(b). A copy of the Notification of Defective Response dated March 9, 2007 is enclosed. Examination on the merits is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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NOTIFICATION OF DEFECTIVE RESPONSE

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495)

- Priority Document
- Copy of the International Application filed on 06/16/2005
- English Translation of the IA filed on 06/16/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 06/16/2005
- Copy of IPE Report filed on 06/16/2005
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 06/16/2005
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 05/05/2006
- Oath or Declaration filed on 10/02/2006
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 06/16/2005
- Assignee Statement for PGPUB filed on 10/02/2006
- Priority Documents filed on 06/16/2005

Applicant's response filed 10/02/2006 is hereby acknowledged. The following requirements set forth in the NOTIFICATION of MISSING REQUIREMENTS mailed 09/08/2006 have not been completed.

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date. The current oath or declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) in that it:
 - is not executed in accordance with either 37 CFR 1.66 or 37 CFR 1.68.
 - On the published application inventor is listed as Kleinert, Wolf. On the executed declaration inventor is identified as Kleinert, Wolfgang. A new executed declaration is required or clarification of discrepancy in presentation of the name Wolfgang.

Applicant is required to complete the response within a time limit of ONE MONTH from the date of this Notification or within the time remaining in the response set forth in the Notification of Missing Requirements, whichever is the longer. No extension of this time limit may be granted under 37 CFR

1.136, but the period for response set in the Notification of Missing Requirements may be extended under 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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